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**In the Specification**

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 14, line 12 with the following amended paragraph:

Figure ~~9-10~~ 8-10 are gel photographs of results of amplification of DNA from stool samples using forward and reverse primers spaced approximately 1.8 Kb apart. The band intensity shows the amount of 1.8 Kb or greater product. Lanes 1, 8, and 9 are negative controls, lanes 2, 3, and 5 are results from patients with cancer or adenoma, lanes 4, 6, and 7 are results from patients who did not have cancer or adenoma, and lanes 10-14 are molecular weight standards.